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AN IMMINENT VEHICULAR COLLISION  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

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